

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application

1 - 11 (Canceled)

12. (New) A dishwasher comprising:

a washing container;

at least one crockery basket; and

a device for receiving items to be washed, the device being operable to receive at least one of silverware and non-silverware items and the device being arranged on an exterior side of the crockery basket.

13. (New) The dishwasher according to claim 12, wherein the device has at least one storage compartment with a substantially horizontal tray area.

14. (New) The dishwasher according to claim 12, wherein the device has two lateral flange plates and at least one storage compartment mounted to the lateral flange plates, the lateral flange plates being connected to the crockery basket by a selected one of a detachable connection and a non-detachable connection.

15. (New) The dishwasher according to claim 14, wherein the at least one storage compartment can be removed from the device and can be re-inserted in the device.

16. (New) The dishwasher according to claim 15, wherein the at least one storage compartment can be inserted in the device in different positions at different height.
17. (New) The dishwasher according to claim 12, wherein the device has a plurality of storage compartments arranged in a selected one of an arrangement in which the storage compartments are substantially above one another and an arrangement in which the storage compartments are not substantially above one another.
18. (New) The dishwasher according to claim 17, wherein the storage compartments are arranged substantially step-wise so that a lower storage compartment respectively projects over an upper storage compartment at least partly in the horizontal direction.
19. (New) The dishwasher according to claim 12, wherein the device has at least one storage compartment having a tray area and the at least one storage compartment has accessories for suitable arrangement and storage of pieces of silverware on the tray area.
20. (New) The dishwasher according to claim 19, wherein the accessories for suitable arrangement and storage of the pieces of silverware on the tray area comprise projections that protrude a selected one of vertically and obliquely from the tray area.
21. (New) The dishwasher according to claim 12, wherein the device has a handle by means of which the crockery basket can be moved and the crockery basket is a selected one of displaceably mounted and not displaceably mounted.
22. (New) The dishwasher according to claim 21, wherein the handle protrudes beyond the device at least partly in the horizontal direction.